

**LEGISLATIVE SERVICES AGENCY**  
**OFFICE OF FISCAL AND MANAGEMENT ANALYSIS**  
**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

**LS 6912**

**BILL NUMBER:** HB 1326

**NOTE PREPARED:** Dec 30, 2025

**BILL AMENDED:**

**SUBJECT:** Indiana Emergency Efficiency and Resilience Task Force.

**FIRST AUTHOR:** Rep. Baird

**BILL STATUS:** As Introduced

**FIRST SPONSOR:**

**FUNDS AFFECTED:**  **GENERAL**  
 **DEDICATED**  
 **FEDERAL**

**IMPACT:** State

**Summary of Legislation:** This bill establishes the Indiana Emergency Efficiency and Resilience Task Force. The bill provides that the task force shall study certain topics related to disaster resilience. It also requires the task force to submit a written report with specific findings and recommendations to the Legislative Council not later than December 1, 2026.

**Effective Date:** July 1, 2026.

**Explanation of State Expenditures:** The bill establishes a 15-member task force, comprised of ten members of the General Assembly and five representatives from state agencies for CY 2026. Meetings are to be held at the call of the chair with support provided from the Legislative Services Agency.

The bill is silent if the per diem, travel allowance and mileage paid to legislators is that of interim committee or when the General Assembly is in session. Costs for these payments would come from existing appropriations to Legislative Council or the Legislative Services Agency. The five non-legislative members of the task force are not entitled to compensation for their service on the Task Force. Any impact on state expenditures for task force meetings is expected to be minimal.

**Explanation of State Revenues:**

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**State Agencies Affected:** Legislative Services Agency, Indiana Department of Natural Resources, Indiana Department of Environmental Management, Indiana Department of Transportation, Office of Emergency Management (Indiana Department of Homeland Security), Indiana State Department of Agriculture.

**Local Agencies Affected:**

**Information Sources:**

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